DEATHS

George E. Ramsey

GLADYS George Everett (Neb) Ramsey, 68, of Rt. 2, Gladys, died at Lynchburg General Hospital Sunday morning after a long illness.

Born in Campbell County, he was a son of the late George Ramsey and Vashti Pillow Ramsey. He was a member of Falling River Baptist Church, and a retired farmer.

He is survived by his wife, Luey Smith Ramsey; one son, Jerome T. Ramsey of Appomattox; three brothers, L. M. (Bill) Ramsey of Gladys, Huela Ramsey of Richmond, Durwood Ramsey of Charlotte Court House; five sisters, Mrs. J. D. Sowell, Mrs. F. A. Dean, both of Lynchburg, Mrs. C. B. Daniel, Mrs. A. A. (Dick) Mason, both of Brookneal, Mrs. W. W. Loftis of Wylieburg; two half-sisters, Mrs. L. L. Gillispie and Lila Ramsey, both of Lynchburg, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 4 p.m. Tuesday at Falling River Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Henderson Funeral Home, Brookneal, was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. William A. Turner

NORWOOD - Mrs. Lille Woody Turner, 94, of Norwood, died early Friday at her home. A life-long resident of Nelson County, she was the widow of William A. Turner.

She is survived by three sons, William E. Turner and Carrington E. Turner of Norwood and Roy B. Turner of Buckingham; six daughters, Mrs. Ethel T. Nelson of Norwood, Mrs. Nellie T. Tarleton of Lynchburg, Lucy Turner of Richmond, Mrs. Annie T. Amos of Columbia, Mrs. Ella T. Davis of Dillwyn and Mrs. Gladys T. Parr of Wingina; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday from Bethany Methodist Church, of which she was a life-long member. Burial followed in the family cemetery. Sheffield Funeral Home in Lovingston was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. James C. Ashworth

Aileen Wright Ashworth, 62, of 1504 Otey St., Lynchburg, died at 5 a.m. Monday at her home. She was the widow of James Claude Ashworth.

Born in Lynchburg, she was a daughter of the late Wattie Benjamin and Sarah Farmer Wright. She was a retired employe of Craddock-Terry Shoe Corp.

She is survived by eight sons, Carroll W. Wright, Douglas K. Wright, Harvey L. Wright, Clarence O. Wright, Terry L. Ashworth, all of Lynchburg, Dennis M. Wright and James T. Ashworth, both of Rustburg, Ernest R. Wright of Concord; a sister, Mary Elizabeth Powell of Lynchburg, and 17 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Whitten Park Avenue Chapel. Burial was in Candler's Mountain Cemetery.

John F. Steedley, Sr.

John F. Steedley, Sr. died Friday, February 21, 1975.

He was the married to Jeannette Steedley who survives him.

In addition to his widow, he is survived by two sons, John F. Steedley, Jr., of Appomattox, and William A. Steedley of Annapolis, Md.; six grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted Sun., Feb. 23, in Panama City, Florida.

Mrs. Ruby Gupton Hudson

Mrs. Ruby Gupton Hudson died February 16 at her home in Newport News, Va. after a long illness. She is survived by her husband, Bascomb Hudson, two daughters, Mrs. Irving Brant and Mrs. Bruce Lee; three sons, Richard, Sam and Dannie; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted from The First Baptist Church in Hampton with burial in Centerville, N.C.

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Committees will meet each Thursday during the month of March at 3:30 p.m. Recommendations from the committees

Commissioned 2nd Lieutenant

Joseph W. Marshall, Jr.

SAN ANTONIO - Joseph W. Marshall, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Marshall, Sr. of Rt. 1, Spout Spring, Va., has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Lieutenant Marshall, selected through competitive examination for appointment at the school, now goes to Mather AFB, Calif., for navigator training.

The lieutenant, a 1969 graduate of Appomattox (Va.) High School, received a B.S. degree in physical education in 1972 from Lynchburg (Va.) College.

will be considered by the School Board at the regular April meeting.

TIMES VIRGINIAN
Appomattox, Va.

Puritan Pulpit

"AND THEREFORE WILL THE LORD WAIT, THAT HE MAY BE GRACIOUS UNTO YOU." **Isaiah 30:18.**

God often delays in answering prayer. We have several instances of this in sacred Scripture. Jacob did not get the blessing from the angel until near the dawn of day; he had to wrestle all night for it. The poo woman of Syrophenicia was answered not a word for a long while. Paul sought the Lord three times that "the thorn in the flesh" might be taken from him, and he received no assurance that it would be taken away, but instead was promised that God's grace should be sufficient for him.

If you have been knocking at the gate of mercy, and have received no answer, shall I tell you why the mighty Maker has not opened the door and let you in? Our Father has reasons peculiar to Himself for keeping us waiting. Sometimes it is to show His power and His sovereignty, that men may know that the Lord has a right to give or to withhold. More frequently the delay is for our profit. You are perhaps kept waiting in order that your desires may be more fervent. God knows that delay will quicken and increase desire, and that if He keeps you waiting you will see your necessity more clearly and will seek more earnestly; and that you will prize the mercy all the more for its long wait. There may also be something wrong in you which has need to be removed, before the joy of the Lord is given. Perhaps your views of the Gospel plan are confused, or you may be placing some little reliance on yourself instead of trusting simply and entirely to the Lord Jesus. Or, God makes you wait a while that He may the more fully display the riches of His grace to you at last. Your prayers are all filed in heaven, and if not immediately answered they are certainly not forgotten, but in a little while shall be fulfilled to your delight and satisfaction. Let not despair make you silent, but continue always in earnest supplication.

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PAST & TODAY
By Ruth Ghioto
(Note: Information for this was provided by an aged Mrs. Mary Inge Jan. 18, 1975)

[illegible]0 years it adorned storefronts but auctioneers recorded sale on Saturday, [illegible] the name "Inge" [illegible] in the business [illegible] Appomattox.

[illegible]omas Inge began in [illegible]ndising business in 1902, employed [illegible]any of L. E. Smith. [illegible] the partnership of [illegible]orris" built what is Appomattox Hard[illegible]g and opened a dry [illegible]oery business. [illegible]nge wedded Mary [illegible] 1917, ended his [illegible] with Morris the [illegible] and with his wife [illegible]allas, Texas. There [illegible] for two years in the [illegible] field with his [illegible]ntry.

[illegible] "western" life, the [illegible]ned to Appomattox [illegible] in 1924 opened the [illegible]x Dry Goods and [illegible]mpany with cousin [illegible] James. The store [illegible] in that half of the [illegible]here Gaines Jewel[illegible]ently situated. Mr. [illegible]ory ran a furniture [illegible] the other half. Both [illegible]regory rented their [illegible] from Gregory's wife [illegible] owner.

[illegible]ng Mr. Gregory's [illegible] rented the entire [illegible] Inge's Department [illegible] born in 1940 when [illegible] bought at auction [illegible] from a Lynchburg [illegible] opened a ladies' [illegible]wear" department on [illegible] floor.

[illegible] purposes of this [illegible] term "Inge's" will [illegible] business operated by [illegible]rs. Inge from 1924 to 1946.)

Mrs. Mary Inge recalls many incidents during their store's life.

Due to the nature of the store's merchandise, only salesgirls were hired by Mr. Inge. Often they were young, sometimes still students in the nearby high school. Occasionally, he would have to calm his new workers when they would become upset by the desire of steady customers to have "only" Mrs. Inge wait upon them. It seems they preferred her experience and age when it came to buying certain ladies items.

County Clerk Aldah Gordon was an "Inge's" salesgirl during World War II. She well recalls the time she discovered a box of highly-prized silk stockings hidden away in the back. Often, Mrs. Inge would save for her special customers the few pairs allotted by her wholesalers but these she must have forgotten. However, the appetite of moths and a period of long storage caused them to fall into shreds upon handling - much to Aldah Barlow's chagrin.

"Inge's" was open five days a week from 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. and until 9:30 or 10:00 p.m. on Saturdays. Long hours allowed all possible customers, especially farmers, time to shop. Always closed on Sundays, Thanksgiving and Christmas, "Inge's" even closed early on "VJ Day" in August, 1945.

Saturday was always the store's busiest day with downtown so crowded that cars found driving on Main Street difficult.

The Depression years were hard times for all businesses but "Inge's" survived. For those who had forgotten, women's dresses cost 98 cents, print goods sold for 25 cent a yard and the best shoes were $2.98.

The Christmas season was always a special time. Though Mrs. Inge would begin saying away toys in August, holiday displays were never set up until December 1.

Before trucks, all merchandise arrived by train. Boxes and barrels of all sizes and shapes arrived for "Inge's" were left on the depot's platform. Still vivid in Mary Inge's memory is the sight of her husband trundling stock across Main Street with a handtruck, often assisted by depot worker Bob Ellis.

For 14 years the Inges walked to and from work from their home on the far west end of Lee-Grant Avenue. The railroad tracks leading from their backyard to downtown served as their "sidewalk".

Unless buying trips to Baltimore wholesalers are counted, the Inges never took a vacation during the years they ran their store.

After suffering a mild stroke in January, 1946, Allison Inge sold his store's merchandise, fixtures and the privilege of using the name to Mr. Charles Jenkins. Several years before, Jenkins had bought two floors of the building next to Farmers Bank from L. E. Smith. For a few years after 1946, he operated both stores under the same name. Eventually he consolidated all merchandise into the building which was recently sold.

For Appomattox, "Inge's" has been more than a name or a store. It's been an important part of Appomattox's history.

LOOKING BACK . . .

1. The forerunner of the Soil Conservation Service was the: a.) Soil Improvement Association b.) Terracing Assn. c.) Land Curing Program d.) CCC
2. Which church's building was at one time located at Five Forks, Virginia?
a.) Bible Baptist b.) Galilee c.) Rocks Baptist d.) St. Anne's
3. Union Male Academy was located in which community?
a.) Oakville b.) Clover Hill c.) Spout Spring d.) Hixburg
4. He organized Co. H. of the 2nd Virginia Cavalry in 1861:
a.) Joel W. Flood b.) George W. Abbitt c.) Watt Carson d.) Thos. Matthews
5. Which person was the county's first public school teacher?
a.) H. Dillon b.) J. H. Christian c.) L. Watson d.) C. H. Burks

ANSWERS
1.) b.) c.) d.) 4.) b.) 5.) b.)

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Stonewall

"Recompense to no man evil for evil." Romans 12:17

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Barrell of Culpeper, Va., spent the week end with Mr. Osborne and Crawford Davidson.

Mrs. J. L. Harrison and Mr. Crawford Davidson went to Guggenheimer Hospital Monday to see Mrs. Annie Horsley. She remains about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B Wheeler visited Mrs. Hazel Gillaspie Saturday afternoon.

Miss May Davidson was sick last week with flu.

The picture, "The Life of Christ" was shown at Hebron to a nice number of people and was enjoyed by all. A little 4 year old girl said she really enjoyed seeing it but when Jesus was crucified she just could not stand to see any more.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carson visited her sister Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Carson will go to Atlanta, Georgia, to visit their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garrett. Good luck is wished them.

Little Miss Tracey Garrett will go to the hospital this week for kidney treatment, and Miss Joellen Garrett will go on March 4 for an operation. Hope both get on well.

Mr. I. B. Wheeler visited Mr. Hunter Jamerson Friday afternoon.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler had Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Jones, Kathy, Richard and Carol to visit them.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler went to Richmond to visit Mr. and Mrs. Sep Spencer and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wheeler.

Mr. Bert Stratton has the flu.

Jordan

Sunday School each Sunday morning at 10 a.m.

Our regular preaching services was very well attended Sunday morning. We were very happy to see many of our friends and neighbors.

The Holiness Singers, The Gospel NoNames and the Gospel Quintet rendered a lovely program of music Sunday night. The occasion was the Senior Choir's 24th Anniversary.

On Sunday, Mar. 2nd at 7:30 p.m. the Gospel NoNames will be singing here for the benefit of the Junior Choir.

On Sat., March 8 there will be a talent program at the Jordan Baptist Church. Come out for an evening of good entertainment.

The Gospel Harmonettes will be celebrating their 3rd anniversary on Sunday, March 23, beginning at 6 p.m. Make plans now to attend.

Oakville

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Smith on Wednesday night were Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Martin, Mrs. Evans Ferguson and Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Moore of Lynchburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wood and family, of Madison Heights, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Eddie Moore, Al, Darrell and Tina, of Appomattox were Sunday dinner guests in this home.

Miss Kathy Marshall spent Friday night in Farmville with Miss Linda Yeatts and attended the ball game at Hampden-Sydney.

Mrs. Tommy Drinkard has returned home from the hospital. Glad to hear she is feeling better.

We are sorry to hear Rev. Deryl Holliday is a patient in Virginia Baptist Hospital. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

James L. Burcher, Ens. of U.S. Navy, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Burcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Richardson and Bill were luncheon guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and Michael of Appomattox.

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FR78-14	Torino, Ambassador, Camaro, Cutlass, Chevelle, Challenger, Roadrunner, Charger & others	$74.55	$37.27	$2.67
HR78-14	Matador Wagon, Sportwagon, Vista Cruiser, LeMans Wagon, Charger Wagon & others	$83.75	$41.87	$3.09
GR78-15	Chevrolet, Polara, Galaxie, Monterey, Fury, Catalina & others	$79.80	$39.90	$2.96
HR78-15	LeSabre, Riviera, Newport, Galaxie, Monterey, Olds, Pontiac & others	$85.75	$42.87	$3.17
LR78-15	Cadillac, Buick Estate Wagon, Imperial, Monaco Wagon & others	$92.85	$46.42	$3.46

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